Women Were Created Beautiful So Men Would Love Them, And Dumb That They Might Love The Men.

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NEWS of the WEEK

Cuban Newspaper Bombed

Havana, Cuba—Concealed in a small delivery truck, a dynamite bomb wrecked the plant of the Pais, a local newspaper, and destroyed the interior of the Monserrate Catholic Church across the street, killing four persons; injuring 27.

Trans-Pacific Flights Start

San Francisco, Cal.—With the sailing of the Philippine Clipper next month, Pan-American Airways will inaugurate a regular trans-Pacific passenger service. The 8200-mile trip to Manila will be made in six days, with four island landings in the Pacific, and already more than a thousand passenger reservations are on file.

Secretary Hull Warns of War

New York City—Addressing the Good-Neighbor League, Secretary of State Hull reviewed America's efforts in behalf of peace, and warned his audience that "we must squarely face the fact that to stay clear of a widespread major war will require great vigilance, poise and careful judgement in dealing with such interferences with our peaceful rights as may take place."

Harvard Closes Celebration

Boston, Mass. — With 15,000 alumni and friends of Harvard in a torchlight procession, to the accompaniment of fire works and the bestowal of honorary degrees, the University closed its 300th anniversary celebration, a scholastic event estimated to have cost $300,000.

Printing Takes to Wheels

New York City—Housed in three baggage cars and a Pullman sleeper painted red, white and blue, a printing exhibit sponsored by the American Type Founders began its 16,000-mile jaunt across country, to consume 100 days. During that time the promoters of the plan hope to show 40,000 visitors the newest developments in the printing art.

Holy Name Society Meets

New York City—While 5,000 delegates to the national convention of the Holy Name Society (2,500,000 members) knelt in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Patrick Cardinal Hayes followed a letter from Pope Pius XI with the comment: "The word 'patriotism' seems to be an obsolete word just now in our own country. Rarely do we see it. Rarely do we hear it. We are informed that even in our schools and colleges and universities, instead of patriotism we hear communism."

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WORK ON SONGO ROAD MAY BEGIN MONDAY

It is expected that work of rebuilding and straightening the road between the foot of Mill Hill and the Albany town line near Songo Pond will be started on Monday of next week. The work on the Northwest Bethel road, which has been in progress several weeks in charge of E. P. Brown, is completed this week, and Mr. Brown is planning to go on with the Songo project.

The completion of this road will be greatly appreciated, not only by those who make up the growing patronage of Songo Pond, but travelers who use this route to reach the southwestern part of the County.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the voters of Bethel and other towns in my district for their splendid support evidenced at the polls on Sept. 14. I hope to prove worthy of their confidence. If any voters in either party have matters to lay before the Legislature I earnestly invite them to enlist my interest.

FLORENCE H. THURSTON

SET CLOCKS BACK HOUR NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT

The change back to standard time will take place at 2 a. m., Sunday, Sept. 27. The simplest way to gain the hour lost last April, and probably the common practice is to set the clock back an hour Saturday night. Some people still doubt if the hour has really been saved anyway.

HANNO A. PACKARD

Hanno A Packard died at his home Friday evening after having been for some time in failing health. Mr. Packard was born in Paris, Oct. 23, 1861, the son of Stephen G. and Louisa Penley Packard. He was the youngest son of a family of fifteen children, all of whom have passed away except one sister, Mrs. Abbie Burton, aged 71, of Corinna, Maine. He was educated in the schools of Paris and Monmouth.

Prior to coming to Bethel in 1898, he was engaged as a guard at the New York State Reformatory. Soon after coming to Bethel he married Miss Ella Bean of Bethel. Four children were born to them. Two died in infancy and two daughters, Methel and Ila are now living. Mrs Packard passed away in 1911.

HANNO A. PACKARD

Mr. Packard was employed for several years in the J. P. Skillings factory and in 1907 he bought out the undertaking business of Everett Staples and continued in this profession until 1912. He served the town as Constable for many years, also, as police for the Village Corporation. He also served as Game Warden and Coroner.

When the World War broke out, Mr Packard went to Portland where he was employed as a shell inspector for the Portland Company. In 1919 Mr. Packard married Mrs Ellen Tripp of Portland. Since then Mr. and Mrs. Packard were employed for several years as cooks. They returnd to Bethel in the fall of 1932 on account of Mr. Packard's ill health.

The greater part of Mr Packard's life was spent as an active citizen of Bethel. While his health prevented him from participating in the town's activities these past few years, he maintained to the last a keen interest in all town, state and national affairs as a very diligent reader of the newspapers and magazines.

Besides his wife, sister and daughters previously mentioned he leaves two step-children, Emily M. Tripp of Saco and Mrs. Clarence Strout of West Poland and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon Rev. H. F. Wallace officiating. Interment was in Middle Intervale Cemetery.

Miss Mary Sanborn of Portland returned to Bethel Monday after spending a week with Miss Betty [illegible] in Newport.

WINTHROP GRIDSTERS PLAY GOULD, SAT.

Visitors Bring Many Veterans of Last Year's Team—Gould Pepped Up by Extra Week of Practice—Game Starts at 2:30 in Afternoon

Saturday at 2:30 the shrill cry of the whistle will open another season of football for local fans. The 1936 edition of Gould Academy gridsters will be presented to the public. The loss of many stars of last year's team has simply added more zest and enthusiasm to the few remaining veterans and a small squad of new men. Eager to prove their ability to recover from the blow of graduation, this year's team began a week's preliminary practice before the opening of the school. They have shown great improvement and hope to give the visitors a good battle.

Winthrop comes to Bethel with a great many veterans of last year and should prove a strong contender for honors here Saturday. They have the advantage of having played a game last Saturday so should be over that jittery first game feeling.

The outcome of Saturday's game would be quite difficult to predict but you can rest assured that the game is going to be a "nip and tuck" affair with plenty of excitement.

The game will start at 2:30 daylight time and W. C. Coombs of Gorham, N. H., will be the referee. The opening lineup for Gould will probably find O. Robertson and stiles at the ends with Robert Moore and Murray Thurston as tackles. The guards most likely to start are Edward Holt and Rodney Howe, while the center position will be held by Frank Littlehale.

In the backfield at the half-back posts will be Parker Brown and Lawrence Perry Eddy Robertson at full-back and Erland Wentzell calling signals completes the eleven. However, in the backfield two newcomers to the squad are showing up well, in the persons of Dick Young and Don Holt. Both these men will see some service. In the line Rodney Eames has been distinguishing himself as a defense man and should have an opportunity to get into action. Saturday. Harold Young, Sidney Howe, Clarence Poole and Rodney Wentzel are underclassmen who are showing promise also.

MRS. A. E. BAILEY

Mrs Maud E. widow of A. E Bailey of Newry, passed away Tuesday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs H. W Boyker, after a month's illness. Funeral services are held at the Boyker residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

FOOTBALL FANS

Get your free football score book at the Citizen office, listing the 40 leading games each week besides giving last year's scores. It also contains particulars of the $1000 cash prize contest which is offered to those who listen to Eddie Dooley's football broadcasts.

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operated by Wilma Hall at her home on High Street
Miss Hall is specializing in PERMANENT WAVES at $5.00 and $6.50
All Beauty Aids 50c
Children's Permanents $3.50
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MISS KELLOGG RESIGNS FROM GOULD FACULTY

Miss Jane Elizabeth Carrick of Newton Highlands, Mass., has been appointed instructor in Home Economics at Gould Academy to take the place of Miss Lucy Kellogg, whose resignation has been accepted to be effective Friday, Sept. 25. Miss Carrick is at present teaching Household Arts at Natick High School, Natick, Mass. She is a graduate of Newton, Mass., High School, the Class of 1924, and holds an A. B. degree from Middlebury College, 1928, and a B. S. from Simmons College, 1929.

TRAIN TIME CHANGES

The passenger trains will change to the following schedule next Sunday, Sept. 27:

West bound—week days, 10:36 a. m.; Sundays, 1:34 p. m.

East bound—4:47 p. m.

MISS LYON SHOWERED BY FRIENDS LAST WEEK

One of the loveliest affairs of the season was the pre-nuptial shower given Miss Eleanor Lyon in the Odd Fellows Hall on the evening of September 17 Miss Beatrice Brown, Mrs. Carl Brown, Mrs. Arthur Dudley, Miss Catherine Lyon and Miss Ida Packard were responsible for the beauty and success of the affair.

The hall was decorated with a profusion of wild and garden fall flowers and presented a beautiful interior. Fifty friends were silently waiting when Miss Lyon hurried through the door to keep an appointment for a lodge rehearsal. Speechless with amazement she was met by Master Lee Carver in sou'wester who escorted her to a flower banked platform. Miss Priscilla Carver in rosebud costume, brought in a decorated child's cart heaped high with wrapped packages. Richard and Herbert Lyon followed with a large pink and white basket also piled high with gifts.

When Miss Lyon was seated with her mother, Mrs. Harry Lyon, at her right, the following program was given:

Original poem, Mrs. Laurence Lord
Vocal solo and encore, Miss Catherine Lyon
Reading, Miss Carrie White
Accordian Solo, Miss Phyllis Davis
Song and Dance, Miss Carol Robinson

After the opening of the gifts and the reading of many a humorous verse and good wish, delicious refreshments were served from a punch table by a floral arbor by the committee in charge.

The many and beautiful gifts received by the honor guest are evidence of the love and esteem of her many friends.

NEW LADDER TRUCK READY FOR BUSINESS

Corporation's New Outfit Fitted Out This Week — Upper Hose House Changed to Accommodate Truck and Town's New Pumper

The ladders and hose were placed in the remodelled fire truck of the Bethel Village Corporation Tuesday evening and the truck now replaces the old Hook and Ladder outfit which has been in use over 40 years.

The new equipment includes what was a Lincoln sedan. With part of the body utilized as a cab, the chassis was lengthened so as to give a 14 foot body to carry a thousand feet of hose, with racks above and over the cab for seven ladders. Ten men or more can be carried in addition to the above equipment. The work of reconstruction has been done by Ray Crockett and the completed truck is a credit to him and the Corporation.

The town's new pumper is expected to arrive by rail on Saturday. A similar apparatus for Kezar Falls is being shipped with it to be driven overland from here.

The quarters of the Volunteer Hose Company and the Hook and Ladder Company have been renovated with new doors and a concrete entrance to provide ample quarters for the new outfits. Additional hose supports have also been constructed on account of the greatly increased weights. With the arrival of the new unit and after the firemen have become accustomed to the change in methods, Bethel will have a fire department equal to that of any community of like size.

P. T. A. ELECTS

Officers for the coming year were elected at the meeting of the Bethel Parent Teacher Association Monday evening.

President, Mrs. Eugene Norton
1st Vice President, Miss Marion Clough
2d Vice President, Mrs. Stanley Wentzell
Secretary, Miss Laurence Lord
Treasurer, Mrs. Forest Rowe

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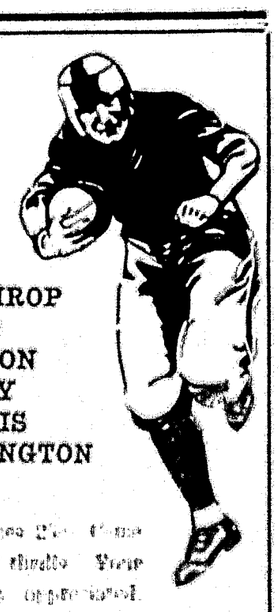

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*SAT., OCT. 17 NORWAY
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*WED., OCT. 28 FARMINGTON
*Home Games

ADMISSION to all Home Games [illegible] cents. Enjoy an afternoon of thrills. Your patronage and interest greatly appreciated.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

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Employment Continues Gains

Washington, D. C. — The Labor Department reports that in August the U. S. Employment Service placed 125,353 applicants in private jobs, 10% over July and 23% over August last year. Living costs as of July 15th were 18% lower than 1929 .... The Treasury Department reported third-quarter income tax $40,243,662 over the same period receipts of $261,262,145, a gain of last year.

Farm Protection Sought

Washington, D. C.—Carrying out recommendations made by the Great Plains Drought Committee, the President has appointed two committees of Government experts to report to the incoming Congress on the necessity of crop insurance for farmers and the more efficient use of farm lands affected by the droughts of 1934 and this year. Secretary of Agriculture Wallace heads the Crop Insurance Committee and Morris L. Cooke, Rural Electrification Administrator, directs the Great Plains Permanent Land-Use Program.

New Maritime Body Formed

Washington, D. C.—Assuming the duties of the defunct Shipping Board and Merchant Fleet Corporation, the new Maritime Commission created by the last Congress began operations with the appointment of three of the five members authorized: Admiral William D. Standley, Chief of Naval Operations; James C. Peacock, formerly of the Shipping Board, and Harllee Branch, Second Assistant Postmaster General. The Commission has a fund of $26,500,000 to spend in subsidies and mail contracts and a construction-subsidy fund of $65,000,000.

Condition of the Treasury

(For Last Fiscal Week)

Receipts,	$217,429,371
Expenditures,	213,878,960
Balance,	$2,263,592,887
Deficit, Fiscal Year,	448,126,215
Public Debt,	33,834,829,541

France Loses Gold

Paris, France — Financiers are speculating on how long the Socialist Government can retain the franc on a gold parity. Since August $103,000,000 in gold has flown to the United States and gold holdings of the Bank of France have fallen to the lowest level since October, 1931.

Commerce Secretary Optimistic

Washington, D. C.—To a gathering of newspapermen, Secretary of Commerce Daniel C. Roper stated: "We are approaching one of the greatest eras of American history. We have not entered a temporary but a long-term upward swing." His optimism was based on the first returns from the new business census, showing retail sales gains ranging from 25% in Maine to 63% in Montana. In 1929-33 the losses in these two states were respectively 40 and 54%.

Hindenburg Breasts Storm

Lakehurst, N. J.—Riding out the hurricane that swept the North Atlantic, the German dirigible Hindenburg arrived here from Frankfort in 59 hours. She carried a passenger list of 72, the largest number thus far booked.

"Velocity Dollars" in Reverse

Calgary, Alberta — During the first month in which Premier Aberhart promised to redeem the "Velocity Dollar" launched in August, nearly all of the 175,000 bills in circulation bounced back into the Provincial Treasury. The Premier, father of the 25-a-month social credit scheme, blamed newspapers for public reluctance to accept the new dollar; suggested that editors be licensed like lawyers and doctors.

Electoral College Estimate

New York City—Neutral observers culling figures from a wide variety of sources including straw polls, newspaper ballots and confidential agencies, release this estimate on the Presidential electoral vote:

	Certain	Probable	Total
Roosevelt	225	75	[illegible]
Landon	49	182	[illegible]

Prevailing betting odds: 3 to [illegible] Roosevelt.

Broadcasters Censor Politics

Washington, D. C. — Increasing vehemence in the Presidential campaign has brought knotty problems to the Federal Communications Commission. Two Los Angeles radio stations have refused time to President Roosevelt's "Fireside Chats" on the score that they are only campaign speeches, and explanations have been demanded by Indianapolis, Pittsburgh and Minneapolis stations for alleged discrimination against the Communist Party. To all inquiries, the big chain network states: "We would not keep the President off....but we would also donate an equal amount of time to the other parties."

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CHANCELLOR HITLER DEMANDS THE RETURN OF GERMANY'S LOST COLONIES

In a speech before nearly 500,000 Nazi workers and Storm Troops, the Reich Chancellor demanded the return of Germany's colonial possessions divided among the Allies at the end of the World War. Here are the former colonial possessions of Germany and, indicated by flags, the nations among which they were apportioned by the Treaty of Versailles. "Germany," he cried, "will never relinquish her insistance on a solution of her colonial demands."

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UNDER SERIOUS CHARGE

Frank E. Stephens, 16 years old, charged with attempt to extort $25,000 from Shirley Temple's parents.

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CUTTING CANAL THROUGH DESERT DUNES

Giant dredges dig and grading the All American Canal near Mexican border. This huge irrigation ditch will carry water from Boulder Dam to the Imperial Valley as part of the vast Boulder Canyon reclamation project.

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"F. D. R." IS NOW OFFICIALLY "CHIEF WHITE EAGLE"

On a visit to the North Carolina Cherokee Indian Reservation, President Roosevelt donned a feathered war-bonnet and was christened by Chief Jerry Blythe with his new tribal name, "Chief White Eagle."

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HARVARD'S 300TH BIRTHDAY

James Bryant Conant, President and host to visiting scientists from all over the world.

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A BATHROOM INTRUSION BRINGS QUICK RESENTMENT

Every day this English trainer takes his big charges for a dip at the seashore. When he tried to join them at their ablutions, however, one of them teased him shoreward with a flip of the trunk.

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BABE RUTH'S SUCCESSOR

Lou Gehrig, of the New York Yankees, who leads both leagues in home runs.

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POLITICAL OPINION . . .

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THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN DOCTOR AND UNDERTAKER

The income of the Federal government is climbing because the country is registering recovery in unprecedented degree. The country is recovering because Roosevelt had the courage to spend when spending was necessary, knowing that such stimulation would bring the budget to balance.

Hoover went along for a tragic two years with successive three billion dollar deficits, deficits produced by declining revenues, not by recovery spending. Hoover borrowed to meet those panic deficits.

Roosevelt deliberately created deficits to deliberately spend for recovery. His deficits were planned deficits, part of a long-range program and he borrowed, as did Hoover, to meet them. Except he is paying a far lower interest rate.

So the difference is that Hoover borrowed to pay the undertaker. Roosevelt borrowed to pay the doctor.

A CHALLENGE TO REASON

"The leadership, as well as the platform, of the G. O. P. in 1936 is not only a bitter disappointment to those Republicans who are progressive, but a challenge to those whose first thought is for the nation's security and welfare. Like Senators Norris, of Nebraska, and Couzens of Michigan and many other consistent liberals, a great many Republicans not mentioned in the press have found in the New Deal a living program of those principles of freedom, justice and humanity to which the truly great Americans of all parties have been dedicated."—Atlanta Journal.

PATIENCE AND PROGRESS

"President Roosevelt has, as Senator Carter Glass recently remarked, an 'incomparable patience,' says The New York Times, and adds: 'He will listen genially to persons who sometimes devastate his day. This is a part of his kindly attitude, a sign of his deep interest in political human nature of all kinds. Since it does not in the least embarrass him to allow people to cleanse their bosoms, it could hardly do so to learn that they are going to vote for his re-election. That is their affair. His affair is steadily to press forward the policies which he believes to be for the good of the country."

THE SPIRIT THAT COUNTS

The candidate of the party under which four years ago even the boldest men feared for the safety of democracy and capitalism as millions descended into despair, promises, now that the danger has been dispelled by Roosevelt, 'to prevent the abandonment of the American form of government.' Governor Landon makes it clear that the aim of the Landon candidacy is to convince the people that the Roosevelt program should be administered in a Hoover spirit.—Raleigh News & Observer.

One enterprising Maine woman, dreading the job of washing spinach in ice-cold water, trundled out the family washing machine, scoured it out and washed spinach in record time.

Sales of hatching eggs and chicks from pullorum-clean flocks in Maine during the season just closed were more than 50% above those of last year.

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BALTIMORE SUN DROPS ROOSEVELT

BALTIMORE, MD.—The Baltimore Sun, for nearly 100 years one of the nation's leading Democratic newspapers, has announced that in this campaign it is "unable to advocate the re-election of President Roosevelt."

Its reasons were stated in an editorial, from which excerpts follow:

"This statement is made with regret. But we cannot close our eyes to what we conceive to have been fundamental errors in Mr. Roosevelt's policies.

"In April, 1933, Mr. Roosevelt began to turn away from the spirit, and to a large extent the letter, of his platform and from the spirit of his first acts as President. He inaugurated the New Deal and he based it upon vaguely formed and superficially considered ideas of planned economy. These ideas were directed toward nationalistic limitation of economic life and toward overriding Federal control of economic life within this nation.

"Does Governor Landon believe that the fundamental policy to which the Government should commit itself is a genuine competitive system, with such liberal adjustments in lower tariff policies, in debt policies, in credit policies, in currency stabilization policies, in law-enforcement policies and in labor policies as will promote the kind of competition that is healthy and real?

"In The Sun's opinion, there is reason to believe that he does. His brief confession of faith at his birthplace pointed in that direction."

Hayes Charges Roosevelt Broke Faith With Vets

FORT DODGE, IOWA.—No nation can long endure which fails to keep faith with its defenders, Edward A. Hayes, former national commander of the American Legion, warned in an address here. He charged the Roosevelt administration with saving money at the expense of disabled veterans and handing it over to "those economic royalists of Wall street in the form of tremendous interest payments on unnecessary government loans".

New Deal Tops War Spending

Washington. — Expenditures of four years under President Roosevelt's budgets, from the fiscal years 1934 to 1937, inclusive, will aggregate a total at least 27 per cent greater than the direct cost of the World War, it is estimated here.

American Way Best

"We have found by experience that American institutions serve our purpose better than those of any other country. We not only want to safeguard our freedom, but we also want security and abundance of the good things of life. We are told, however, by defeatists that we cannot have both. We must, they say, choose between freedom and security. They insist we must give up one in order to gain the other. Let us not surrender to any such counsel of despair."—Gov. Alf Landon at West Middlesex, Pa., August 22, 1936.

George Hodson, of Camden has just completed a new three-story hen house which he will fill with White Leghorns this fall.

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GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnard from Bellows Falls, Vt., arrived in town a few days ago for their annual visit at Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Tyler's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich and daughter Lois from Portsmouth, N. H., were week end visitors at Clyde Whitman's.

Miss Ellen Chamberlain was the recent guest of Mrs. Lois Morrill at Bethel.

Fred Haines from East Bethel hauled wood for Erwin Hutchinson last week.

Mrs. J. B. Abbott was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Hutchinson at Mill St., Bethel, one day recently.

Mrs. Constance Alger and Miss Lucy Smith and her mother from Maple Inn, Bethel, were over Grover Hill, Sunday.

A. J. Peaslee attended the Oxford County Fair, Sept. 16.

NEWRY CORNER

News was received Sunday of the death of A. R. Saunders at the Rumford Community Hospital, Saturday night. He was a brother of Chesley Saunders of Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holt are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter. She has been named Helen Han.

Mr. and Mrs. David Livingstone of Berlin were the guests of relatives in Bangor over the week end.

Mrs. Marion Learned, who spent last week in town, has returned to her home in Rumford.

W. H. Bond's family have returned to Garden City, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Eames have a daughter, born September 29, at the Community Hospital in Rumford.

Willing Workers of Bear River Grange had a baked bean supper at the Hall Saturday night before the regular meeting.

Mrs. Bailey, a former resident of this town remains very ill at the home of her daughter at Bethaven Inn, Bethel.

SONGO POND

Hollis Grindle is building a garage.

The heavy frost in this vicinity made a clean sweep of all the gardens.

Joe Hamel has gone to Houlton where he has employment.

The Powlands were at their cottage, Sunday.

Mrs. Dorothy Saunders spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Mae Cash and Miss Lillian Grindle.

Arthur Grindle and Mrs. Lillian Grindle motored to Sebago, Sunday and called on Clarence Kimball and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crockett and little daughter Thelma of Locke Mills were callers at her aunt's Mrs. Mae Cash's, Sunday evening.

Donald Child has finished work at the Fryeburg corn shop and returned to his home here.

Miss Helen Kimball is staying with her brother, Clarence Kimball and family at Sebago and attending high school there.

Marshall Parker and son Philip of South Windham were callers at H. N. Grindle's, Saturday.

HOW MODERN WOMEN LOSE FAT SAFELY

Gain Physical Vigor—Youthfulness With Clear Skin and Vivacious Eyes That Sparkle With Glorious Health

Here's the recipe that banishes fat and brings out all the natural attractiveness that every woman possesses.

Every morning take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water before breakfast—cut down on pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—in 4 weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished. Notice also that you have gained in energy—your skin is clearer—and feel younger in body. Kruschen will give you a joyous surprise.

Get a bottle of Kruschen Salts—the cost is trifling and it lasts 4 weeks. If you don't feel a superb improvement in health and physical exercise, vigor-ously active, your money gladly returned. Only one dose a day. NOTE—Many people find that the only diet change necessary while taking Kruschen regularly is TO EAT LESS.

LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Robley Chase left Monday for Sanford. From there she will go to the Palmer Memorial Hospital at Boston, where she will have treatment.

Mrs. Maude Sanborn spent a few days last week in Norway.

A number from here attended the Oxford County Fair one of the five days.

Joyce Cummings spent Thursday with her aunt, Mrs. Alta Meserve, at Bethel.

Mrs. Nellie Moody, who has been quite ill, is reported a little better.

Repair work is being done on the E. L. Tebbets Spool Co. office.

Wesley Kimball is having his rents painted.

UPTON

Much excitement was caused in this and surrounding towns on Sunday, Sept. 20th, when John West of Berlin, N. H., came to the Lakeside with his amphibian plane. He took many of the people of Upton up in his plane. One load flew to Upper Dam.

The Grange opened the whist party season last Saturday evening. Four tables were in play. High scores were won by Miss Susie Walker, and Everett Angevine.

Leslie Fuller and two boys attended Norway Fair, Saturday afternoon, bringing his wife home with him. He carried her back Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel French, her son George and daughter Esther of Northwest Norway were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Bertha Judkins. Mr. Stover returned with them to work on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Judkins and family of Andover were Sunday guests of his brother, C. A. Judkins and family of Andover were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. Bertha Judkins and of his brother, C. A. Judkins, and family.

Albert Judkins, who has been working for Hastings in Grafton, was home Sunday, because of sickness.

Lillian Judkins spent a few days last week with Mrs. Claude Linnell at the Red Spot Fishing Club camp. Mrs. Linnell closed the camp Saturday and moved home to Wilson's Mills.

Mrs. Mary Linnell has finished work for Mrs. Lettie Douglass. She is in Rumford with her son.

Mr. and Mrs. James Casey and family of Rumford and other friends were week end guests of William Barnett and family.

The U. E. Society met at the home of Ban Barnett, Sunday evening. The next meeting will be at the parsonage.

Mrs. Sadie I. Sanborn is away for several weeks visit with her daughters and other relatives in Rumford, Mexico, Wilton, Farmington.

Miss Sadie Walker of Norway is the new teacher in the grade [illegible]

Puffed Rice,	10c
Puffed Wheat,	10c
Knox Jello,	2 pkgs. 15c
Cauliflower,	lb 8c
White Onions,	lb 15c
Sage Cheese,	lb 35c

Special

1 Rippled Wheat	3 pkgs.
1 Martina	29c
1 Krispy Cracker	

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BETHEL, MAINE

NORTH NEWRY

Ellis Davis with a party from Bryant Pond stayed at the A. M. C. shelter in Grafton Notch Saturday night. Going on Saddleback, Sunday, they returned with about 11 quarts of cranberries each.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wight returned to their home in Framingham, Mass., Sunday. Daniel Wight accompanied them where he will take up his studies again at the U. S. Diesel School in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wight and Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Walker took a ride Sunday to Magalloway and over the new road being built through to Rangeley.

Mrs. Genie Daley was called home Tuesday to attend the funeral of her uncle, A. R. Saunders, at Hanover.

George Wight is going to Freeport to work for two weeks.

Little Paul Wight celebrated his sixth birthday, Tuesday.

A good attendance was present at the Willing Worker's supper at the Grange Hall, Newry Corner, on Saturday night. Another baked bean, pastry and hot dish supper will be served in two weeks (Oct 3), from 5 to 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Eames are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter at the Community Hospital, Rumford.

EAST STONEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Trimback have a baby boy born, Thurs., Sept. 17. Mrs. Trimback and baby are at Mrs. Bessie McAlister's at So. Paris.

Miss Margaret Walker and friend, Miss Ella Moore, of South Boston are visiting at Edwin Allen's.

Mrs. Catherine Dadmun is caring for her sister's baby, as her sister, Mrs. Henry Walker, of Harrison is ill.

Mrs. Georgia McAllister has returned home after visiting her children at Norway for a few weeks.

Ervil Curtis has completed his garage and is now repairing his house.

Thaxter Littlefield is having his house painted and having a shed and garage built.

A crew of men and trucks are working on Butter Hill.

W. E. Long of Newtonville, Mass., was at his camp over the week end.

Some one needed a trailer load enough to take one from Castle Hickford's Bear Shop. This is the second time this has happened. The first time they took only the tires from the trailer. They may get [illegible] they try it the third time. [illegible] 4-H Club will have a [illegible] at place of Brownville Lake Wednesday evening of this week.

THE NEW
Blue Glassware
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Brown's
Variety Store

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1936

BETHEL NEEDS

—More and Better Sidewalks—winter and summer
Night Watchman—All the Year
Enforced Traffic Rules

AN APPEAL

This is written to the students who are selecting their subjects for study this year to urge them to include botany in their courses.

It is to be regretted that so little interest in botany has been shown in preparatory schools during recent years. To those persons who have pursued its study the usefulness of this minor science is apparent.

Botany is the fundamental analysis of how plants grow under their forest canopy, and it is a first step toward a knowledge of all green life upon the existence of which mankind in complete dependent. Without the growth and maintenance of leafy plants and their products human life would soon die out.

We are capable and hopeful [illegible] conservation of [illegible] will realize there does [illegible] understanding of plant life to [illegible] the way for the [illegible] an intelligent preservation of our natural forms of nature.

In Europe one sees the various natural features [illegible] and practically protected. That is one of the first differences in customs which is noted when [illegible] on foreign shores.

In nature study it is a source of satisfaction to know something of the [illegible] plant life and [illegible] able to identify species. By [illegible] a book the plant can be [illegible] a complete plan of [illegible] and know how it came to be.

Jean Stearns Holden.

HALF OF FARM LIVING COST OFFSET BY HOME-GROWN FOOD

[illegible] farm families get [illegible] half their living directly from the farm in the form of housing, fuel, vegetables, fruit, livestock and dairy and poultry products, according to a study which Miss Edna M. [illegible] specialist in the [illegible] of Home Economics [illegible] has completed in 11 counties for the use by farm women [illegible] in different sections of the state.

[illegible] the family [illegible] in cash expenditures [illegible] clothing, furniture, [illegible] and [illegible] products, family [illegible] and [illegible] Florida figures the [illegible] and [illegible] the cash [illegible] to pay [illegible] and [illegible] purchased.

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Clothing was the second largest cash outlay although it was a [illegible] to the value of food from the farm garden and by the rental value of the farm house.

That farm women plan to make still greater use of home products that is shown by the number of orders and by the sales which [illegible] the second purchase during the account year.

"AS MAINE GOES—"

ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Dinner Pails, Dividend Checks and Tax Bills of Every Individual. National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare.

At least one American industry has grown from childhood to maturity during the depression—commercial air transport. An interesting survey of this industry, which is assuming increasing economic significance, appears in a recent issue of the United States News.

At the present time, air passenger traffic in this country is about six times as large as it was in 1929, and the volume has doubled in the last few years. Where less than [illegible] passengers rode the airways in 1934 almost 742,000 left terminals in 1935. Estimates say that about [illegible] people will board transports this year. In 1926, when passenger transport was inaugurated in a few scattered lines, only 5,782 people bought tickets.

Startling fact is that while there are established air systems in all modern countries, American airlines carry more passengers than are carried in all of the rest of the world combined, along with two-thirds of the world's total of airplane mail and express.

As European nations, air transportation has grown cheaper through the years, early rates were virtually prohibitive. It has likewise proved more comfortable, due to developments in sound proofing cabins, cutting motor vibration, making planes more stable in wind currents and speeds have been markedly increased. Modern ships operate over paths on which their best hours in 1929 averaged [illegible] more than 1930 averaged [illegible] more than 1935. And travel has been made safer, last year there was but one passenger fatality for every [illegible] passengers miles flown.

According to the Department of Commerce, much [illegible] the progress [illegible] coming in two broad fields, [illegible] and there are [illegible] to progress with speed to [illegible] a little more difficult [illegible] to engage in, of course, and [illegible] possible to that offered by [illegible] and there [illegible] to profitably [illegible] long.

In spite of the industry's speedy development, many of [illegible] all but [illegible] to the [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] Most all [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and pay ex[illegible] passenger business. Thus [illegible] the cancellation of [illegible] [illegible] two years on [illegible] land. The contracts have been awarded, but in many cases the sites [illegible] for mail carrying have not started.

Furthermore, the upkeep of airplanes is terrifically expensive. Many have a relatively short life, and they must be to absolutely perfect condition to service the Department of Commerce may. And new developments are constantly adding novelty to the charlesmere item in the operator's books. For instance, people marveled not so long ago at the appearance of planes carrying 10 or 15 people. Latest planned airliner will have four motors and accommodations for 40 passengers besides mail, express and a sizable crew.

As for the future of air transport, it is still in the speculative stage. General transoceanic passenger service is envisioned for the reasonably near future—the giant flying "clippers" traveling from California to the Philippines and China will soon take passengers. And there is much talk of stratosphere flying, which would vastly increase plane speeds—a ship capable of 200 at 5,000 feet will double that speed as it reaches rarified heights. But the toughest kind of technical problems are involved, and it will be years before the dream can be realized, according to even the most optimistic designers and air-line pilots.

In the meantime, it seems certain that the industry will continue to progress in such matters as plane speeds, passengers carried, coverage of the country, etc. There are no signs that it will in any way supplant other media of transport, such as the railroads, trucks and buses, but it offers a very valuable supplementary service. And it is naturally becoming a bigger economic factor as it employs more workers and buys more materials.

It is reliably rumored that those who expected gathering compliments from the White House are going to be disappointed. President Roosevelt's strategy — which of course can be quickly changed should condition warrant it — is said to call for non-combative, constructive talks and speeches, such as Mr. Roosevelt's report on his trip through the drought country, made over both big broadcasting chains on September 6.

In the Republican camp a more aggressive stand will be taken—on the contrary on that point to his past record and [illegible] politics in general [illegible] and he's got that, but [illegible] members most dissatisfied [illegible] will be principal "dynamiters," as early speeches prove. But there will be the "daisy pedlars" [illegible] all the signs fail.

That different outlining of line of action [illegible], the Literary Digest poll [illegible] upon. Keep your eye on it but [illegible] placing your bets. If the election is close, it will be interesting to see how near such a poll can come to anticipating the outcome and the voter's majority.

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HEATING AND PLUMBING
Also Mill Work as Usual
H. ALTON BACON
BRYANT POND, MAINE

Washington Snapshots
by JAMES PRESTON

Some of the national capital's financial experts are wondering how it is that the federal budget will run "only" $2,096,996,300 out of balance this fiscal year instead of $3,596,996,300.

Two factors raised the question after the budget bureau issued its recent recapitulation. The first is relief expenditures. The $2,096,996,300 deficit includes only the $1,425,000,000 appropriation voted last session of Congress. Already, relief officials have served notice that the $1,425,000,000 will be almost gone when Congress reconvenes in January. It will therefore, be necessary to get more money to continue relief as at present. Relief officials hope $500,000,000 extra will be enough.

If they ask, and get, $500,000,000 the deficit for this year will be $2,596,996,300.

Second is the proposed reduction in the Treasury's "working balance." In the last couple of years, the Treasury has accumulated about $2,000,000,000 in its cash fund, just like an individual would build up that much in his checking account.

But now the plan is to reduce that $2,000,000,000 by half. That does not mean that $1,000,000,000 will be saved, but simply that it will be taken out of the "working balance" and used to pay running expenses. Therefore, by June 30, say the analytical, the government will have spent $3,596,996,300 more than it took in during the fiscal year.

Much is appearing in print these days about how various federal agencies are reducing their payrolls. For instance, about how WPA dropped 200 employes; how Rex Tugwell's Resettlement Administration is cutting 20%; about how the AAA expects to cut from 4,600 to 1,500 employes; about how the National Bituminous Coal Commission, charged with administering the invalidated Guffey Coal Act, has let off a hundred or so.

But in the background, the biggest single group of civil employes ever on the federal payroll is being quietly built up. At last accounts, the Social Security Board had 961 persons on its payroll, and beginning about November 15 it expects to begin a more rapid expansion toward its top of 10,000 to 12000.

Even if WPA dropped 200, the AAA 2,100, the RA 300 and the Coal Commission 100, the net increase by the first of the year would still be 6,300 to 8,300.

The hurricane season finds the WPA trying to close a door behind a departed horse. Everyone recalls the many lives lost at Matecumbe and Tavernier, Florida, last September when WPA veterans were caught by a storm.

The WPA has just announced allotment of $30,000 for construction of hurricane-proof shelters in the Florida Keys. Already, the WPA is building two other storm-proof buildings in that area—a 14-room school house at Fort Lauderdale and a 12-room school at Belle Glade.

A $33,000,000,000 Millstone

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN
National Chairman Sentinels of the Republic

If a farmer or a business man finds himself deep in debt his first aim is to find some method of reducing it.

That goes for the housewife, too!

All recognize a heavy burden of debt as a millstone around the neck of any individual, or firm, or family that is attempting to keep its affairs on a successful basis.

Moreover, they all know the effective method of solving their problem. It is Economy.

But the politicians, during recent years, seem to think they have found a happier solution. Instead of trying a reasonable economy, they have been turning to a program of increased expenditures, increased extravagance, deeper plunges into the spreading pool of red ink.

This is indicated by the way they have been boosting the Public Debt. It probably explains why the Federal Debt alone has risen steadily from approximately $19,000,000,000 in 1932, to $27,000,000,000 in 1934, and to an all-time high of more than $33,000,000,000 for 1936.

It's an alluring method — to the politicians. But it's less attractive to the farmer and the business man and the housewife, who know that they must pay the debts which politicians create.

And it becomes still less attractive when they realize that public debt is actually an obscured method of adding to our taxes — with the bills marked for a later date — or of piling up a heritage of liens against the future earnings of our children.

But the mere realization of these facts on the part of the public isn't enough. If the farmer and the business man and the housewife want to stop the piling up of bills for them and their children to pay in added labor and added sacrifice and higher prices, they must make the politicians face the facts, too.

A $33,000,000,000 millstone is a heavy handicap for the workers and earners and taxpayers of America to carry along the hard road to recovery.

BETHEL OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN

STRAW VOTE BALLOT

Nation-Wide Vote for PRESIDENT

THIS Straw-Vote is being conducted by co-operating weekly newspapers located in states throughout the nation to show pre-election sentiment of small town and rural America in their choice for President for the next four years.

TO VOTE:

Mark a cross X in the square before the name of the candidate you prefer.

Group or club voting is NOT allowed. . . . Only single individual votes will be counted.

A voter need not sign his or her name, but to assist in national tabulation please fill in name of town and state, below.

Vote for one only of these candidates

- ☐ ROOSEVELT (Democratic)
- ☐ LANDON (Republican)
- ☐ LEMKE (Union)
- ☐ THOMAS (Socialist)
- ☐ COLVIN (Prohibition)
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Persons You Meet . . .

PHILIP F. SAYLES

The subject of this week's sketch was born in Adams, Mass., Oct. 16, 1896. He was valedictorian of his class at Adams High School and won four letters in school sports. He graduated from Williams College in 1917 and has since received the degree of Master of Arts from Columbia University. At Williams he was active in athletics, musical clubs and the choir.

He became a naval aviation pilot and after his discharge he held positions with the Wamsutta Cotton Mills, New Bedford, and Berkshire Cotton Manufacturing Co. at Adams. He served as Recreation Director at Turner's Falls, Mass., where he built an all year round playground and installed a physical education system in the schools. After that he carried on the same work in Owesso, Mich., and was connected with the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana and the Sinclair Refining Co of Michigan.

Returning east in 1927, he taught at Drury High School, No Adams, and since 1929 has been principal of Adams High School. Mr. Sayles came here last month, becoming principal of Gould Academy on the opening of the school year, September 15.

In 1930 he married Miss Mary Lu Bond of North Adams. He is a member of the American Legion and is a Past Master of Berkshire Lodge A. F. & A. M of Adams.

Metal roofing is being laid on the belfrey of the Congregational Church.

Mrs Sidney Dyke and babe returned to their home at Westmont, N. J., last Friday after spending the summer with her parents, Mr and Mrs Ralph Berry.

Miss Harriett Rollins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rollins of Gorham, N. H., one time residents of Bethel is enrolled as a student at the Chicago Physical Educational Training School, Chicago, Ill.

MAINES TOURIST BUSINESS SHOWS 20% INCREASE

Herbert L. Swett, president of the Maine Publicity Bureau and member of the Maine Development Commission, views Maine's $108,000,000 1936 tourist revenue as ample justification for a $250,000 advertising budget for the Development Commission. The increase in gasoline taxes this season is alone five times the sum expended for state advertising, he said. Commenting on a recent Associated Press dispatch regarding the summer tourist trade, Swett said:

"The Associated Press recently reported that the tourist business in this now closing season was the best since 1929, and that here in Maine it had increased twenty percent. News of this kind justifies the opinion held by myself and others that Maine has far from reached the top of its potential summer business. Figures given in the article place Maine's income from tourists at $108,000,000 as compared to $85,000,000 in 1935.

It is interesting to me that Maine's estimated increase of $23,000,000 was not due to any high powered promotion schemes. Texas is holding a big exposition. There was the Great Lakes exposition in the Middle West. Maine had nothing on such a grand scale. Nothing, that is, except her natural beauties her pure air and sunshine, her incomparable summer resorts both inland and on the coast.

When I think of the tremendous sums necessary to stage such promotional enterprises as the Chicago Fair, the Texas and San Diego Expositions, and now the New York World's Fair planned for 1939, I cannot help but feel how fortunate we are here in Maine not to have to resort to that type of artificial stimulation of tourist trade.

Maine's advertising budget [illegible] $150,000, an increase of $50,000 over two years ago. This nominal increase in tourist revenue [illegible] the insistent plea of the Maine Development Commission for an increased appropriation to [illegible] the state's attractions. [illegible] extra $50,000 can be credited [illegible] the extra $23,000,000 of out-of-state money distributed among our people—not money passing from one pocket to another within the state.

Cockeyed Tax Law

"This (The Surplus Tax law) is the most cockeyed piece of tax legislation ever imposed in a modern country and if I am elected I shall recommend the immediate repeal of this vicious method of taxation . . . Actually it has no relation to 'soaking the rich'. What it does is to protect the big fellow who still has a reserve, and tie a millstone around the neck of the little fellow."—Alf M. Landon at Buffalo, N. Y.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Austin and daughter Bessie were Saturday night guests of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Davis.

Nearly everyone in the community attended Oxford County Fair one or more days last week.

Mrs. Lester Pence and small son of Mechanic Falls spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. Angie Robbins.

Mrs. Gayden Davis and two children spent Monday night with her brother and family, Ralph Robbins, of Norway.

P. J. Farrington, Keith Emery, Leon Poland and Walter Appleby have been having a weeks vacation from their work at the casket factory of A. M. Andrews.

The farmers in the vicinity have been very lucky in getting their corn picked and hauled to the factory with only light frosts in nearly all places.

Ellis Davis, Arthur Farrington and Dannie Bryant of Bryant Pond were at Upton over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Q. Perham and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Perham and children were at Evans Notch on Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Felt is working for Lena Felt at Bryant Pond, papering and white washing the rent recently vacated by Dr. R. F. Willard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dean and daughter Elsie were at Athens over the week end.

So Landon once spoke against deposit insurance? Oh, well; Roosevelt once spoke against government extravagance.—Cedar Rapids, Ia., Gazette.

GREENWOOD CENTER

D. R. Cole saw a bear, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Goodwin entertained at their cottage over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doucette and son George of Westbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bartlett and daughter Cynthia of Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Farr, Martin, Wynona and Arnold Farr, Ellsworth and Warren Blair, Junior Tirrell of West Poland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brazier, Lloyd Sykes of Portland and Ernest Martin of Norway visited at R. L. Martin's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jacobs and son Thomas of Berlin were at Camp Wagner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Holt, Norway; Florence Kennison, Locke Mills; Glenn Martin, Ray Hanscom and Winifred Bryant of Rowe Hill and Toivo Lehton visited at Beryl Martin's, Sunday.

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Week of Sept. 21, 1936
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Grade	Sav. Bank	Total	Per Cent
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III	1.00	2.55	41
IV		1.55	40
	$3.00	$11.40	

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Daughter: I can't marry Sonny. He's an atheist and doesn't believe in Heaven or hell.
Mother: Marry him, my dear, and between us we'll convince him that he's wrong.

Waiter: This hotel is under new management.
Guest: Why, I still see the same old manager around.
Waiter: Yes, but he got married last week.

"Does your wife believe everything you tell her?"
"I'm not quite sure about that. All I know is that she patiently listens to everything I have to say. But, let me ask you, does your wife believe all you tell her?"
"Jiminy shot! Why, she believes lots of things I'll never dream of telling her."

Bobby: What's an expert, daddy?
Daddy: It's a fellow who gets a big salary for telling other people how to do things he can't do himself.

"I understand that Mr. [illegible] is like [illegible]"
"Humph! What's the man who has it?"

"I could I were a bird, I would [illegible] the little girl I [illegible]"
"I wish you could [illegible] with the winter [illegible] the [illegible] washed the husband."

A [illegible] note is the greatest value of any private piece of [illegible] that [illegible] the greatest value of any piece of mail.

Ephesian: I [illegible] makes me feel [illegible]
Life: I guess you'll be going to lay [illegible]
Ephesian: Yes, sah!
Life: Was you [illegible]
Ephesian: No, sah! I was [illegible]
Life: So how about [illegible] owe?
Ephesian: [illegible]

Judge: Prisoner, How much are you [illegible]
Smart Salesman: Two dollars a foot.

Shifting SANDS

by

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CHAPTER VIII

IN SPITE of Elisha's indignation toward Stanley Heath, and his resolve to go to the Homestead with the break of dawn, it was noon before he and Eleazer got under way.

In the first place, the two men disagreed as to the proper method of arresting the alleged criminal.

"You can't take him on no warrant, 'Lish," Eleazer objected, "'cause you ain't actually got proof he's guilty."

"Proof? Ain't I got a clear case? Ain't I roundin' him up with the loot on him?" blustered Elisha.

"Praps—praps you didn't really see the jewels" Eleazer quavered. "Are you plumb certain you saw them things?"

"Certain!"

"Come, come! Don't go up in the air, 'Lish. I ain't doubtin' your word. I just want to make sure we don't take no mis'steps an' make jackasses of ourselves." Eleazer explained. "Have you got everythin'?"

"I—I guess so," Elisha said weakly.

The stroll to Crocker's cove was not a hilarious one. With each successive step Elisha's spirits dropped lower and lower.

At last they came within sight of the bay.

"Where'd you leave the boat?" Eleazer questioned.

"I pulled her up opposite the fish shanty."

"She ain't here."

"My soul an' body! What's to be done now?"

"I reckon we'll just have to give it up," the sheriff responded with a wintry grin. "Call it off."

"An' let the thief escape? No, sir-ee! We've got to go through with this thing now we've started if it takes a leg. We'll walk round by the shore."

In high dudgeon the two men plodded through the sand, its salt seeping into their shoes with every step.

It was not until they came within sight of the Homestead that the silence between them was broken.

"Wal here we are!" Eleazer announced more genially.

"Yes—here—here we are!" his comrade panted. "My soul an' body—what a tramp! I'm near dead! Wait a minute, Eleazer. Let's take account of stock an' decide how we're goin' to proceed. We've got to make a plan."

"But we've made a plan already. After you've knocked at the door an' gone in—"

"I knocked an' gone in?"

"Yes, yes," Elisha repeated. "After that you'll sorter state the case to Marcia, explainin' why we've come an' everythin'—"

"An' what'll you be doin' meantime?" Eleazer inquired, wheeling sharply.

"Me! Why, I'll be waitin' outside, kinder loiterin' 'till it's time for me to go in—don't you see?"

"I don't. I think 'twould be better was you to go ahead an' pave the way for me. That's how it's done in plays. Some kinder comic portion of the play's got first an' after word the hero comes in."

"Do you consider yourself the hero of this show, do you?" commented Elisha sarcastically.

"Ain't I?"

"Wal, you don't 'pear to me to be. Who figgered you co an'ceived this here whole thing in the first place? If you want the most unpleasant role acting, I've a big half mind to go in a little ahead of time you let me do your sneakin' act."

"Don't do that, Eleazer, don't do that!" Elisha begged. "Don't go home an' leave me—now—at the last minute."

"Very well," Eleazer agreed magnificently. "Then I'll remain an' give you my moral support."

Elisha got up and, dragging one foot after another, moved toward the house.

"Now knock," commanded the dictator.

Tremulously Elisha tapped on the door.

No answer came.

"Knock, I tell you! That ain't knockin'. Give the door a good smart thump, so's folks'll hear it an' be made aware somethin' important's goin' on. I'll show you."

Eleazer gave the door a spirited bang.

"Law, Eleazer! A rap like that would wake the dead," Elisha protested. "I hear somebody. Stand by me, Eleazer. Where are you goin'? Come back here, can't you? You promised—"

"I didn't promise to go in first. You was to do that," Eleazer called from his vantage ground round the corner.

"But—but—" Elisha whimpered.

The door swung open and Marcia stood on the sill.

"Why, Elisha!" she exclaimed. "How you startled me. Come in. You're all dressed up, aren't you? Have you been to a funeral?"

"No. I—we—"

The sheriff cleared his throat.

"Me an' Eleazer—" he began.

"Eleazer? Did he come with you?"

Elisha nodded.

"Isn't he coming in?"

"Yes—yes. He's coming presently."

"Well sit down and tell me the news."

His dignity, his pomposity put to rout, Elisha, feeling very small indeed, backed into the nearest chair.

"You won't mind if I go on with my baking, will you?" Marcia said, bustling toward the stove. "I'm makin' dried apple turnovers. They'll be done in a second and you shall have one. I guess a nice hot apple turnover won't go amiss."

With deftness she whisked a triangle of flaky pastry onto a plate and extended it toward her guest.

He sat down with the plate in his lap.

He had taken only an introductory mouthful, however, when the door parted a crack and Eleazer crept cautiously through the opening.

For a moment he stood transfixed, then he burst out in a torrent of reproach.

"Lish Winslow, what on earth are you doin'? Here I've been waitin' outside in the wind, ketchin' my death of cold, an' you settin' here by the stove rockin' an' eatin' pie!"

"I know, Eleazer, I know," Elisha stammered. "It may mebbe seem queer to you. I just hadn't got round to the business in hand, that's all. I'm comin' to it in time. I've made a start. I was just feelin' up to it in a softer tactful way."

"There ain't no way of bein' tactful when you're arrestin' folks. You've got the thing to do an' you have to go straight to it."

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"Arresting folks?" Marcia repeated, looking from one man to the other.

"Yes. Since 'Lish is so spineless at his job, I may's well tell you what we come for. Pretty kind of a sheriff he is."

"You better look out, Eleazer Crocker, how you insult an officer of the law," Elisha bawled angrily. "Say a word more an' I'll hail you into court."

"If you don't land me there faster'n you do Heath I shan't worry," jeered Eleazer.

"Heath? Mr. Heath?" Marcia repeated.

"Yes. We come over here this mornin' to place Mr. Stanley Heath under arrest," Eleazer announced.

"Of what are you accusing Mr. Heath?" Marcia demanded.

"Of the Long Island robbery," Eleazer answered.

"You mean to say you think him a thief?"

"We know he's one—leastways Elisha does."

"I—yes! I'm tol'able sure. I have evidence," Elisha replied. "At least I figger I have."

"Shucks, 'Lish!" Eleazer cried. "Where's your backbone? You figger you have! Don't you know it? Ain't you beheld the loot with your own eyes?"

Elisha nodded.

"Then why on earth don't you stand up in your boots an' say so?"

The door opened and Sylvia entered, then stopped, arrested on the threshold by the sound of angry voices.

Marcia, with whitened lips but with face grave and determined, remained with her back to the stairway door, her eyes never leaving Elisha Winslow's. There was something in her face Sylvia had never seen there—a light of battle; a fierceness as of a mother fighting for her child; a puzzling quality to which no name could be given.

Suddenly, as the girl studied her, recognition of this new characteristic flashed upon her understanding. It was love!

Anger, perhaps terror, had forced Marcia into betraying a secret no other power could have dragged from her.

"What proof have you?" Marcia demanded.

Elisha shifted from one foot to the other.

"I've seen the jewels," he whispered. "They're here—in this room, under that brick. I've seen 'em."

With finger pointing dramatically toward the hearth, Elisha strode forward.

Sylvia, however, sprang before him, standing 'twixt him and his goal.

"What a ridiculous story, Mr. Winslow!" she cried. "What a fantastic yarn! Do you imagine for one moment there could be anything hidden under those bricks and Marcia and I not know it? Why, one or the other of us has been in this room every instant since Mr. Heath arrived. When could he get the chance to hide anything? There is nothing here, Mr. Winslow, truly there is nothing. I swear it."

"Nevertheless, let him look, Sylvia. Let them both look."

"Please—please, Marcia—!"

Sylvia was upon her knees now on the hearth, and the men, hesitating to remove her by force, halted awkwardly.

Marcia regarded her first with startled incredulity—then with coldness.

So Sylvia loved Heath, too!

She was fighting for him—fighting with all her feeble strength.

A pang wrenched the older woman's heart.

What if Heath had played a double game—made love to Sylvia as he had made love to her? If so—if the man were a mountebank the sooner they both found it out—the sooner the world knew it, the better.

If, on the other hand, he was innocent, he should have his chance.

"Get up, Sylvia," she said. "The sheriff must search. He must do his duty. We have no right to prevent it."

Her face was pale, her lips tightly set.

The brick was lifted out.

A smothered cry escaped Sylvia and was echoed.

"Why—land alive—there's nothin' here!" gasped the sheriff.

"I told you there was nothing!" Sylvia taunted, beginning to laugh hysterically.

"Wal, 'Lish, all I can say is you must either 'a' been wool gatherin' or dreamin' when you conceived this yarn," Eleazer jeered.

"I warn't," hissed Elisha, stung to the quick. "I warn't dreamin'. Them jewels was there. I saw 'em with my own eyes. I swear to heaven I did." He confronted Sylvia. "They was there, young lady, warn't they? You know they was. That's why you was so scairt for me to look. You've seen 'em. Deny it if you dare."

"Of course I deny it."

"Humph! But Marcia won't. You can lie if you want to save the skin of that good-for-nothin' critter upstairs—though what purpose is served by your doin' it I can't see. But Marcia won't. If she says them jewels warn't here I'll believe it. Come now, Marcia. Was there ever diamonds an' things under this brick or warn't there?"

"Yes."

"You saw 'em?"

As if the admission was dragged from her, Marcia formed, but did not utter, the word:

"Yes."

"There! Then I ain't gone daffy! What I said was true," Elisha acclaimed, rising in triumph and snapping his finger at Eleazer.

"The jewels were Mr. Heath's. He hid them for safe keeping.

"A likely story! He stole 'em—that's what he did."

"Prove it," challenged Marcia, with sudden spirit, a spurt of crimson burning on either cheek.

"Prove it?" Elisha was taken aback. "Wal, I can't at the moment do that. I can't prove it. But even if I can't, I can make out a good enough case against him to arrest him on suspicion. That's what I mean to do—that's what I come for an' what I'll do 'fore I leave this house."

"Mr. Heath is sick."

"I guess he ain't so sick but what I can go up an' cross-examine him."

"I ask you not to go. I forbid it. Drop this matter for a day or two, Elisha. Mr. Heath shall not leave the house. I promise you that. Leave him here in peace until he is well again. When he is able to—to—go with you I will telephone. You can trust me. When have I ever been false to my word?"

"I don't see why the mischief you're so crazy to stand 'twixt this Heath chap an' justice, Marcia. The feller's a scoundrel. That's what he is—an out an' out scoundrel. Not only is he a thief but he's a married man who's plottin' behind your back to betray you—bonstin' openly in telegrams he is."

"What do you mean?"

"I wouldn't like to tell you. In fact I couldn't. 'Twould be repeatin' what was told me in confidence," hedged Elisha, frightened by the expression on the woman's face.

"I have a right to know about the telegrams you mention. Will you tell me or shall I call up the Sawyer Falls operator?"

"Oh, for heaven's sake don't do that," Elisha pleaded. "Artie Nickerson would be ragin' mad did he find out I told you. If you must know what the message was, I can repeat it near 'nough, I reckon. It ran somethin' like this:

"'Safe on Cape with my lady. Shall return with her later.'"

"And that was all?" inquired Marcia calmly.

"All! Ain't that enough?" Elisha demanded.

As she vouchsafed no reply, he presently continued:

"I don't want you should think I told you this, Marcia, with any unfriendly motive. It's only that those of us who've seen you marry one worthless villain don't want you should marry another. You know that well's I."

The woman raised her hand to check him.

"I'm aware 'tain't pleasant to hear me say so out loud, but it's God's truth."

"Marcia!" Sylvia burst out. "Marcia!"

"Hush, dear. We'll talk of this later. Elisha, I think I must ask you and Eleazer to go now."

"You ain't goin' to tell me where the jewels are?"

"I don't know where they are."

"Nor nothin' 'bout—'bout the telegram?"

"Nothing except to thank you for your kind intentions and say you quoted it correctly. I sent it for Mr. Heath and told 'My Lady,' as you have apparently forgotten, is the name of Mr. Heath's boat."

"My soul!" ejaculated Elisha. "I—I ask your pardon."

"It's all right. Just leave please."

The door banged behind the comfited officials.

(To be continued next week.)

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Deferred

Harland Abbott has been at Old Orchard Beach and is to Farmington to attend School. Everett Cole and Harland's brother, also went.

Mr. and Mrs. James Knight two children Christine and Mr. and Mrs. Durward son Merl were at the Zoo at Farmington, Sunday.

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Kenneth and Sherward Elwell Hardy attended County Fair, Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Sweetser and visited Tuesday with her Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cole.

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Paul Croteau and son were in Portland a few days week, Junior had a tonsil at the Maine Eye and Ear ary.

Miss Lila Conner was one day recently.

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VOTE IN NATION-WIDE PRESIDENTIAL POLL

Returns from 36 states, totaling 680,001 ballots, as received at National Straw-Vote Headquarters, New York for tabulation at close of the Fifth Week.

State	Roosevelt	Landon	Lemke	Thomas	Colvin	Browder
Ala.	3,780	3,375	432	79	49	59
Calif.	1,890	2,970	162	—	26	—
Colo.	2,322	5,724	187	53	58	83
Conn.	459	540	52	156	—	—
Fla.	9,369	6,561	378	110	29	54
Ida.	269	162	31	—	30	—
Ill.	15,120	26,946	918	25	52	56
Ind.	5,535	8,937	1,512	80	107	48
Iowa	11,124	18,360	2,808	567	243	486
Kans.	4,104	14,202	243	31	57	29
Ky.	5,049	6,534	265	78	22	—
Maine	1,458	3,564	85	158	—	—
Md.	4,988	5,265	157	112	85	29
Mass.	1,701	6,480	597	134	56	—
Mich.	12,987	22,788	2,808	541	77	324
Minn.	9,909	12,339	3,348	429	102	486
Mo.	5,805	6,993	185	25	26	—
Mont.	1,917	2,241	594	54	24	25
Neb.	7,317	9,477	621	—	31	57
N. H.	84	1,053	45	—	28	46
N. J.	19,224	50,139	2,484	865	272	567
N. Y.	20,925	65,394	4,914	783	265	534
N. C.	6,102	4,509	80	48	—	47
N. Dak.	5,397	5,046	1,728	98	110	95
Ohio	28,215	31,627	2,214	325	131	136
Okla.	18,597	14,553	430	24	—	128
Ore.	594	1,431	56	56	—	—
Penn.	4,239	10,989	621	23	175	20
S. Dak.	3,132	6,210	1,647	98	—	—
Tenn.	220	778	—	—	—	—
Tex.	9,018	3,348	674	25	76	214
Utah	920	354	—	—	—	—
Va.	5,832	9,990	—	—	—	—
Wash.	2,916	3,672	702	—	—	55
W. Va.	10,554	22,869	85	—	—	—
Wis.	216	810	108	51	—	—
	241,568	396,230	31,171	5,028	2,131	3,573

Percentage Changes

Only marginal percentage changes were recorded during the fifth week tabulations, as compared to fourth week returns. The Oklahoma and North Dakota votes for Roosevelt, plus a slightly heavier Democratic vote from several states, resulted in the following percentage gain for him.

	Last Week	This Week
Landon	63.6%	62.1%
Roosevelt	36.4	37.9

As between Landon, Roosevelt and Lemke:

	Last Week	This Week
Landon	60.6%	59.2%
Roosevelt	34.6	36.1
Lemke	4.8	4.7

The keen interest being shown in this poll was reflected in national headquarters here by a Fifth week rush of Roosevelt ballots, which if continued, will no doubt iron out some of the wide majorities piled up in Landon "hot spots," notably where early voting was heavy on the G. O. P. side.

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EDITOR'S NOTE:—If you have not voted in this nation-wide Presidential poll then reach now for pen or pencil, clip the ballot on page 4 vote your choice, then mail or bring your ballot to the Citizen office.

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WEST PARIS

Ronald Ross and Lewis Mann drove to Waterville, Sunday, taking with them Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes and Mrs. Genova Tuell, delegates to the state convention of Universalists. Mr. H. R. Tuell also went with them.

Miss Della Lane is visiting her sister-in-law at Portland.

The young people of the Federated Church will [illegible] Thursday evening at a [illegible] in Hungry Hollow.

The Dance Bird Club will meet Thursday afternoon at four o'clock at Miss Ruth Tucker's with a picnic supper.

Mrs. Ellen Pyngolt is at the Rumford Hospital for an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Pauline Crockett from Rayant Pond is visiting her sister, Mrs. Inez Emery.

Mrs. Louise Winslow from Portland has been the guest of her friend, Mrs. Della Penley, for the past week.

Lester Penley is on a two weeks business trip to Chicago and Detroit.

The Farm Bureau met at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Bonney on Progress St., Monday for an all day meeting. The subject was "Value of Home."

Miss Agnes Gray and her mother, Mrs. Ida Gray motored through the White Mountains, Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Hadley, Mrs. Dorothy Bean and Miss Inez Briggs were in Lewiston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cummings of Auburn visited Mrs. Cummings' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. [illegible] week end.

[illegible] the latest crop white to a recommended safety measure for [illegible] plowed roadways.

SUNDAY RIVER

Vaghn Foster and family of Portland were Sunday visitors here.

Chester Chapman was in Ketchum, Sunday.

William Barker's son called on him at Ketchum, Sunday.

The Demeritts were in Ketchum, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Taylor of Massachusetts are at Ketchum.

Roger Reynolds has returned home from working at the lakes with Mr. Demeritt.

Rev. H. T. Wallace of Bethel spoke at the young people's meeting here on the subject of the Value of Education. Next week the young people will have an outdoor meeting if the weather is favorable.

Charles Frost has returned home after working a few days at R. M Fleet's.

William Powers sold his cow.

Irene Foster and Ina Bean have returned to their senior year at Gould Academy.

Miss Pauline Bean and Sherman Williamson have entered the Freshman Class at Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bean were in East Dixfield last week.

Mrs. Nettie Fleet, Mr. and Mrs R. M. Fleet and son David were week end visitors at West Cumberland and Gorham, Me.

Hazen Sweeney was home over the week end.

The Leslie Kendall's have gone home to Massachusetts.

Mrs Father Powers visited the Frank Wilson's and Claude Collin's recently

WATERFORD

Mr and Mrs W W. Fillebrown and family motored to Orono Sunday to take their son Charles to the U. of M. where he is a student.

There will be no service at the Waterford Federated Church on September 27.

Virginia Tyler has returned to Farmington State Normal School.

Ruth Bell and Esther Pike have entered Gould Academy.

Mrs Mae Glassford teacher of the Pike School spent the week end at her home in Portland.

Miss Carrie Plummer and Mrs F. V Tyler attended church services at N. Waterford September 20, with Mr and Mrs W M Morse.

Maine Church has finished work at the Lake House.

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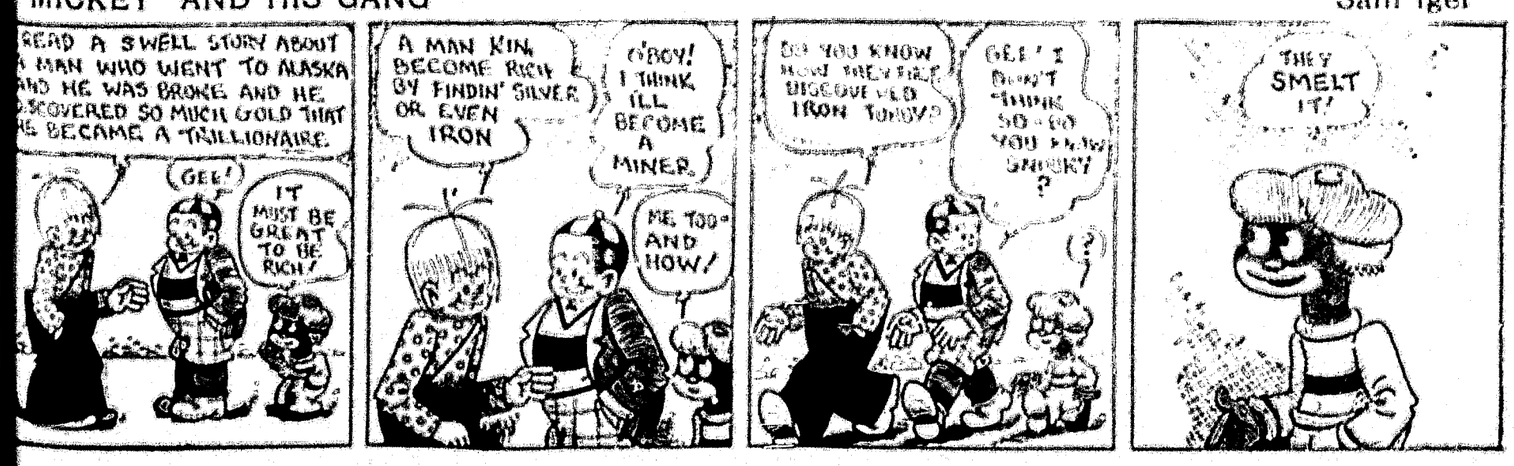

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WANTED—Confinement cases, or work of any kind by hour or day. MRS FLORENCE GILL, Bethel. 25p-27

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Firearms, Ammunition, and Trappers' Supplies, bought, sold, and exchanged by H. I. BEAN, Bethel, Maine. Dealer in Raw Furs, Deer Skins, Hides and Pelts 2tf

Hope Will Direct G.O.P. Farm Group

Agricultural Division to Work With Township Committees.

Chicago—Practical farmers will take an active part in directing the Republican campaign in rural areas, Congressman Clifford D. Hope of Garden City, Kas., announced in assuming the directorship of the Farm Division of the Republican National Committee.

In each agricultural state, an advisory council is to be set up. This council is to be composed of practical "dirt" farmers who will supply the basic suggestions for the campaign.

Three assistant directors have been appointed to aid Congressman Hope. They are Don L. Berry of Indianola, Iowa, publisher of the Indianola Record, E. H. Taylor of Yates Center, Kansas, for 12 years assistant editor of The Country Gentleman, and Congressman Francis D. Culkin of Oswego, New York, an authority on dairying and active in legislation affecting dairy interests.

"The Republican farm campaign is going to have its roots out in the farm districts," said Congressman Hope. "The farmers themselves will tell us what they want and how they feel about things."

"YOU AIN'T SEEN NUTHIN' YET"

Short Story by New England Council Stresses Beauties of Autumn Travel—Fall and Winter Sports

The old Yankee lobster fisherman rubbed his grizzled chin and surveyed with genial eyes the young couple before him. "No," he repeated, "you ain't seen nuthin' yet. That's the trouble with you folks."

The girl smiled. "Trouble?"

"Sure." The old man searched his pockets for his corncob, his gaze wandering off across the bay to a distant line of ice-capped islands. He scratched his head thoughtfully.

"Ordinarily," he said finally, "I don't go handin' out advice that ain't called for. But you folks come way up here to New England to have a good time."

"And we've certainly had it," commented the young man.

The fisherman nodded. "You been up through the mountains, you drove along the coast, you been swimmin' here in God A'mighty's ocean, you been playin' golf, battin' tennis balls around a court, ridin' them fancy hosses they got up at the hotel, breathin' this fine air, and a-romancin' around. Now you're goin' home—when all you've seen and done here is only the—wha'do them people down at the summer playhouse call it?—the prologue. Why, New England in autumn"—he was warming to his subject—"there ain't nuthin' like it nowhere!" He pointed his pipe-stem toward the undulating line of hills. "What's the color o' them hills?"

"Green."

"Sure they're green. But two or three weeks from now they're goin' to be red an' orange, yella, brown, green, blue—all decked out like a peacock on a holiday. Yes sir! Them colors is worth anybody's time! An' corn-fields full o' pumpkins, orchards red with apples, cider right out o' the press, an' a harvest moon hung up there like a big copper dipper!

"Why New England ain't ripe till after Labor Day!"

Increasingly New England's recreational visitors are staying on after Labor Day, and more and more vacationists are planning their New England tours for the cool brilliant days of September and October. Autumn is our most glorious season, filled with the color and gaiety of county fairs, and harvest festivals, and pleasant warmth of open fires at quiet country inns. The crowds are gone, and life is less tense than during the midsummer rush—driving is easier, vacant accommodations are available and rates after Labor Day are attractive.

The sports of summer still remain for autumn days, clear of fogs and hazes, are bright and sunny. United States Weather Bureau records for the past fifty years show that there are more sunny days in New England in September and October than in any other month of the year. It's warm enough for salt and fresh water swimming, yet ideal for golf, tennis, riding, gunning, and mountain tramping. Nights are unfailingly cool, bringing deep restful sleep.

And later, there are the snow sports this winter. New England is the winter playground of the eastern seaboard with the finest network of ski trails in America. Certainly New England's attractive features do not stop with summertime.

WEST BETHEL

Lillian the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy, was rushed to the Berlin Hospital, Thursday night, and was operated on for appendicitis. She is getting along very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Saunders and Mrs. Carlton Saunders were in Berlin, Monday.

Arthur Johnson of Auburn and Mrs. Gladys Bean were united in marriage Saturday evening, Sept. 19, by the Rev. P. J. Clifford of Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Carter were in Rumford one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Head and two sons were in Andover, Sunday.

Mrs. Addie Mason and daughter, Mrs. Carl Brown called on Mrs. Helen Perkins recently.

Rev. P. J. Clifford called on Rev. Mr. Verrill Tuesday and arranged to have him assist at the services at the Mason Church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry and sons, Laurence and Robert, attended the Oxford County Fair at Norway Saturday.

Dorothy Grover, R. N., of Farmington was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Grover, one day last week.

Will Bennett has gone to Fryeburg for a few days.

Mrs. Frank Hale and Miss Kathryn Lowell were in Berlin last Saturday.

Mrs. Carlton Saunders and son O'Neil were in Fryeburg Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Penley.

Hazen Lowell is at work in Upton for Mike Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Allen of Brunswick were the guests of Mrs. Estella Goodridge Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Kneeland and son Clarence Jr. of Portland were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland Sunday.

Chris Onofrio has returned from Fryeburg where he has been working for the past three weeks.

Wayne Donahue of Burke, Vt., was a guest at Goodridge Cottage Saturday.

Mrs. Estella Goodridge is spending a few days in Westbrook with relatives.

The Ladies' Aid will have a harvest supper at the Grange Hall Sept 30th, the proceeds to go for the Fall services.

Mrs Joseph Perry had the misfortune to catch her hand in the electric wringer recently.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Johnson expect to move to Auburn soon.

Miss Catherine Bean is attending Edward Little High School in Auburn

NORTH LOVELL

Lester Fogg has returned to his work in New Hampshire after being home awhile on account of being in an automobile accident.

School began the 8th with Olive Eastman of Center Lovell as the teacher.

Mr and Mrs. W. F. Harriman are at Cape Cod on their vacation.

Arlene Winslow of Portland spent the past week at Amos McKeen's.

Curtis Winslow has gone to work for Ernest Buck.

Reduced Automobile Licenses

Alf Landon, as governor of Kansas, reduced the automobile license fee by 50 per cent, and increased the total amount collected by seeing to it that every owner of a car paid the reduced price.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister

9:30 a. m. Sunday School opening session. We are anxious to have a full enrollment of all our School members and will welcome all new comers.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject, "He Shall Bring It To Pass."

Visitors are always welcome.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. P. J. Clifford, Minister

9.45 Church School and preparation for Rally Sunday.

11.00 a. m. Morning Worship. Scripture Message — Changing Time.

6.30 Epworth League. Leader, Stanley Brown. Subject, Socialism.

7.30 Evening Worship. Sermon—Thou Shalt Not.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Services Sunday morning at 10:45.

"Reality" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, eptember 27, 1936.

The Golden Text is: "Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him." (1 Corinthians 2:9.)

Among the citations from the Bible is the following: "Let thy work appear unto thy servants, and thy glory unto their children." (Ps. 90:16.)

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Mind is the divine Principle, Love, and can produce nothing unlike the eternal Father-Mother, God. Reality is Spiritual, harmonious, immutable, immortal, divine, eternal." (Page 335:25-28.)

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7.30 p. m.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH

Rev. Alton Verrill

9:30 a. m. Sunday School.

10:30 a. m. Baptism and Communion Service. Subject of Sermon: "The Name Above All Others."

7:30 p. m. Young People's Meeting.

BORN

In Bethel, to the wife of Ernest Holt, a daughter, Helen Han.

In Rumford, Sept. 20, to the wife of Theodore Eames, a daughter.

In Bryant Pond, Sept. 19, to the wife of Lyman Wing, a daughter, Patricia Ann.

In South Paris, Sept. 17, to the wife of Henry Trimback of East Stoneham, a son.

MARRIED

In Bethel, Sept. 19, by Rev. P. J. Clifford, Arthur Johnson of Auburn and Mrs Gladys Bean of West Bethel.

DIED

In Rumford, Sept. 19, A. R. Saunders of Hanover.

In Bethel, Sept. 18, Hanno A. Packard, aged 75 years.

In Pownal, Sept. 20, Mrs. I. A. Cushman, formerly of South Bethel, aged 76 years.

In Bethel, Sept. 22, Mrs Maud E., widow of A. E. Bailey of Newry, aged 50 years.

THE PILGRIMAGE

All ye who are weak and sick
And pressed with a burden of care,
Come to the church at the foot of the hill
A blessing awaits you there.

No bell will herald your coming
But the all seeing eye knows you are there,
The birch and the pine will whisper softly, "we are thine"
And with music small birds fill the air.

Come to the church at the foot of the hill
The founders lie over there
Though calmly they sleep 'neath the sod so deep
Their spirits keep watch and pray.

Come to the church at the foot of the hill
Far from the town's noise and roar,
There peace you will find to rest heart and mind
And your faith in God's men restore.

The annual pilgrimage to the Methodist M. E. Church will be held September 27 at three p. m. Rev. P. J. Clifford will bring the message. Subject, The Hills of the Bible. Come prepared to give and receive.

JERSEY HERD, HOLSTEIN COW TOP AUGUST COW TEST

Acto, a Holstein in the Harold Grant of Pittsfield first among the 3455 cows in the 10 dairy-herd improvement associations in Maine last month production of 90.1 pounds of fat and 2003 pounds of milk. anna, a nine-year-old Jersey owned by B. C. Levant, won second place with cord of 1535 pounds of milk 81.3 pounds of fat. Third place to Pearl, owned by Stark more of Chesterville. Her tion was 1354 pounds of milk 78.5 pounds of fat.

High herd for the month of C. C. Goodnow of Turner herds testing with profit 16 Jerseys topped the list 50.0 pounds of butterfat and pounds of milk. Donald Cha New Gloucester was second herd of eight Holsteins which duced an average of 1117 pounds milk and 43.4 pounds of fat. Records of the production on test are summarized each in a mimeographed publication sued by the Extension Service the University of Maine.

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